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pany will be OLOSED from 8th until 10th March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, W. Q. WINTERBURN,

General Manager. Hongkong, March 3, 1906.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above named Company will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company at Queen's Buildings, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on SATUNDAY, the TENTH day of MAROH, 1906, at 12 o'clook Noon, when the Resolutions set out below, which were passed at the Extraor. dinary General Meeting of the Company held on the Sixteenth day of February, 1906 will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions.

By Order of the Board, JAMES WHITTALL, Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS: (1). That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered in the following manuer:-The following Article shall be substituted for Article 130, namely :

130. The Board, through its Secretary, shall make Year'y Statements of the Accounts of the Company from the lat day of January to the Stat day of December, in each and every year, which shall be duly audited and presented to the Shareholders, at each of the Ordinary Meetings of the Company, togethe with a Report on

the general position of the Company. 423
(2). That the Board, through its Scoretary, shall make a Statement of the Accounts of the Company as from the 1st day of May, 1905, to the 31st day of December, 19.5, which shall be duly audited and presented to the Shareholders at the next Ordinary Meeting of the Company to be held during 1906 and that, inasmuch as the Accounts of the Company have already been audited and presented to the Shareholders to the Soth April. 1905, no further or other Statements of the Accounts of the Company for the year 1905, shall be called for by or presented to the Shareholders in respect of 'Article

130 as this day substituted. Dated the February 16, 1906.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY-THIRD URDINARY
GENERAL MEETING of SHARE. 428 BOLDERS in the above Company, will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, St. CEORGE'S BUILDING, No. 6. Connaught Road, Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th March, 1906, at 11 A it, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts Godown No. 3, NEW PRAYA, Kennedy Town. and the Report of the GENERAL MANAGER for the year ending 31st December, 1905, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-pany will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 10th to WEDNESDAY, the 14th March, both days inclusive. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

General Managers: Hongkong, February 27, 1908,

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ENT COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held

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WHEN DOES A VOYAGE END?

An Important Judgment.

Early in February an interesting case was heard at the Leeds Court of Appeal. Defendants in the action Baxter e, Mo-Diamid appealed from a finding of Mr Justice Bargrave Poane. The point raised in the case was when a seaman's voyage came to an end under his contract to sail a foreign-

going ressel. -Sir Robert Finlay, for the Board of Trade argued in support of the respondent's case. He said that the agreement here was not for a year, but for a voyage not to exceed a year, and the effect of this wasso soon as the steamer came to the terminus ad quem the voyage could not be further prolonged.

Lord Justice Moulton called attention to the fact that the yessel was to trade to ports in rotation, and that could not exclude the home ports. If the latter could be included, then the terminus ad quem was not merely a home port, but a port required by the master. He did not see why the vessel could not go from one port to another.

Sir R. Finlay said that view would suggest an agreement as long as the master choose to keep the men. He submitted that where a cargo was wholly discharged at a home port that put an end to the voyage, and the time limit was only allowed in the case of home trading vessels. If the agreement meant th t the men could be taken on to Cardiff, then it was bad, but he contended that such was not its meaning, and that the voyage ended at Southampton, when the cargo was discharged.

Lord Justice Moulton asked if counsel contonded that ipso f cto the voyage toxminated with the discharge of the cargo if it were within the time limits?-

Sir R. Finlay said that that was his contention where the cargo came from foreign parts, but the voyage was not terminated 1474 unless the whole cargo was discharged, because the adventure was not completed. In this case the option of the master was exercised when he selected the port of discharge in the United Kingdom, and he could not then say to the seamen that he would take them on to Cardiff.

Lord Justice Vaughan Williams: Must he tell them the port to which he is going? Sir R. Finlay: No; he can keep his own

Lord Justice Vaughan Williams: Outside a musical opera he is not bound to ask leave of the sailors as to where he shall go. (Laughter.)

Sir R Finlay; No; he can think as much as he likes, but he need not talk. (Laughter.) Mr S. T. Evans, K.C., M.P., for the Seamen's and Firemen's Union, adopted the argument of the Solicitor-General and

Sir R. Finlay, and did not address the Sir E. Clarke, K.C., M.P., replying for the Shipping Federation, said that he could understand that the case was important to some persons, but how it was important to the Board of Trade he could not imagine. He asked the Court to uphold a reasonable contract made, and not to interpose into it terms, which defeated freedom of contract between the shipowner and the seaman.

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the unator. The ship returned to Southampton on the 28th of September, where the whole of her cargo was discharged. Baxter contended that this was the end of the voyage, and demanded his discharge and his wages. The master argued that the agreement was not at an end, and said Baxter would have to go to Cardiff. The question whether the voyage ended at Southampton or at Cardiff depended on the construction of the agreement. He could find he words within the four corners of the agreement which would lead him to say that the voyage determined at Southampton by resson of the discharge of the cargo. On the contrary, it seemed to him that the words of the agreement gave the master a right of election as to which of the ports within the limits of the prescribed district should, in fact, be the final port of destination of the ship. Even if the words of the agreement were much loss clar than they seemed to him to be he should hesitate long, having repard slike to the interests of seamen and shippwners, before he held that the true construction of the agreement necessit ted the engagement of a new crew in the case of a British foreign-going ship ar-civing at Hamburg before she could pro-ceed with cargo from Hamburg to any port, whether within or without the home trad-ing limits. He could not agree that under this agreement the end of the voyage meant the place where the cargo brought home was wholly discharged. The voyage to be ended was that of the ship, and not of the cargo. The adventure of the ship, outward and homeward, did not terminate until she returned to the port within the limits of the home trading where the master elected, within the period of the twelve months mentioned, to end her voyage, and prepare for a freeh voyage. Lords Justices Stirling and Fletcher Moulton concurred, and the appeal was

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Who was it that made bread and Luddites Who filled the butchers' shops with big blue · Ilieu? The Tories!-

is every whit as rampant in the early twentieth as in the early nineteenth century. Now, as then, it is demonstrably true that " the people wish to be deceived, and are deceived"; and now, as then, there are plenty of politicians of the cult of Ananius who do not scruple to make their account with this weakness, and to exploit it to the utmost advantage of themselves and their party. The bogus little loaves and fictitious Chinese "slaves" of the election campaign just ended should have been impostures too transparent to influence the mind of the humblest voter in these days of compulsory education and free libraries, otherwise than to excite his contempt for those who could seek to beguile him with such stupidly obvious frauds. As a matter of fact; this brace of wretched swindles admittedly effected huge turn-overs of working-class votes in almost every part of the country, and goined for the party now in power the greatest majority within living memory. In the face of such a result, who can deny that popular credulity is as great and as easy to practise upon to-day as in the "dark ages" when provided schools were not, and a proletarian franchise was unknown /

Yet, after all, it must in fairness be admitted that it is not in democratic quarters alone that this strange susceptibility to the power of humbug continues to survive in all its ancient force. One has only to turn from the political to the social arena to see on all sides the spectacle of quackery of the most flagrant kinds, flourishing mightily and reaping rich harvests under more or less distinguished patronage. Weird new creeds, mostly imported from the inexhaustible factory of such wares on the other side of the Atlantic, claim their crowds of eager neaphytes, and justify the confidence of their exploiters in the ever attractive power of novel forms of religious empiricism. Beauty-doctors who offer new faces for old are besieged in their consultingrooms; quack healers of every variety rejoice in the properity assured them by the quality as well as the quantity of their credulous clientèle. As for the "occultists," the thought-readers, the crystal_gazer, and the whole tribe of smart seers fashionable fortune-tellers, there was probably never an age when their several varieties of impudent hoeus-pocus were more profitable than they are in the days that pass. No exposure or disillusion seems capable of suppressing their hierative business; and if by chance one form of bogus mysticism falls into temporary discredit, its followers merely wander off, unabashed in search of fresh frauds and humbugs new. With this strange readiness a to be deceived existing at one and of the social scale, it is hardly to be wondered at that the unscrupulous medicine-men who deal in political quack nestrums find it an easy enough matter to palm off their spurious wares at the other. That a national decision in which the gravest issues are involved can be decisively influenced by the sheer force of reckless imposture and persistent mendacity is not, it is true, very flattering to our self-respect. But this is precisely what has happened in the present instance; and it may well be doubted whether the depths of popular credulity have over been more audaciously plumbed, or the power of humbug more triumphantly asserted .- The World.

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DRAKEFORD CHAMBAZ. On March 3, at Holy Tennity Cathedral, Sha ghal, China, by the Rev. A. J. Walker, M.A., Louis HENRY FINCH DRAKEFORD, eldest son of and Walhall, Victoria. Australia, to the late Alphonse Chambaz, of Geneva,

DEATHS. At his-residen; e, 23 Mosque Street, cr. the 8th inst., CAPTAIN THOMAS ROWAN, in his 69th year.

Switzerland.

CLIFFORD. -On March 5 at 23. Cart. Road, Shangai, WILLIAM WESTON CLIP. TORD, aged 57 years. Broould - In March 2 at Shanshal, ARTHUR DE MORNEY BIDOULAC, in his 51st

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW, Meetings.

Noon-Meeting of China Traders' Insurarce Co., Ltd., at Co.'s Registered

2.30 p.m. - Auction of Old Pekin Curios, &c, at Massrs Hughes & Hough's Sales Rooms. 2.30 p.m. - Austion of Household Furni-

Auctions.

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Miscellancous. Transfer Books of China & Manila Steamship Co., Ld., Close from this date to 14th March inclusive. Transer Books of Hongkong Rope Manu-turing Co. Ld., close from this date to 14th March inclusive. Goods per Buyern undelivered after this

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MONDAY, March 12:-3 p.m.—Auction of Leasthold Property, at Messrs Hughes & Hough's Sales

Goods per Tonkin unclaimed after this date at Noon will be subject to rent and landing charges.

TUESDAY, March 13:-5.30 p.m. - Meeting of Hongkong Volun. teer Reserve Association at City Hall 9 p.m.-Concert at City Hall.

2.30 p.m - Auction of Millinery & Sum-& Hughes Hough's Sales Rooms.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1906.

A DISCREDITED BOGEY.

siderable amount of notoriety some years bar, and these can only be bought for ago by laboriously building up the eash. Unused coupons can be ex-Yellow Peril bogey must feel some changed for cash in the Secretary's qualms of conscience if they are suscep- office." "Members Accounts, other than tible of shame as each fresh bit of the above, will be rendered monthly, and their contentions. A M. Emile Bard who spent four years' travelling through China has just made a valuable contribution to our knowledge of these singular people who prove such a fascinating but rather exasperating sindy. The author took full advantage more of the Chinese than do most of the hundreds of other institutions in the globe-trotting writers. M. Bard is East suffer, and any plan to minimise perfectly frank in his criticisms. When losses is worth trying. The necessary he sees anything that seems to him to purchase of coupons has the same rebe proiseworthy he is not slow to give straining effect upon the purchaser, too, it its due meed of appreciation, but that actual money has, and no doubt when he detects some failing it roundly condemned. This is the type of writer whose conclusions are valuable. He line no personal predilections to interfere with the operation of his critical faculties. And what opinion time when there is some danger it dinner, at the Hongkong Hotel, at Saturdoes this author express in regard to may be remote-of a diplomatic split March King Cotton' the memore which, we have been so between France and Germany regarding Overture 'Haydee' often informed, China constitutes to Morocco, the Naval estimates of Ger- Selection from... The Orchid Caryli Christendom? He says in effect that many, France and Great Britain are that menace is non-existent. The China- being debated in the respective Housesman, broadly speaking, does not want to of Parliament. In Great Britain the be a menace to anyone. "Their plan of the Naval authorities is to hurry institutions," says M. Bard, "are founded on ideals of justice and equity; they acknowledge the rights of the weak and the humbly born, thus comparing advantageously with the feudal oppression which for centuries crushed the people of Europe, and merit rather than

character is pacific

Chinese. If China ever developed BEATTIE DAVIS - At Hongkong, on the land hunger which consumes the old then it would certainly be a bad look out for the rest of the world. But there half million marks for submarines. In has never been a shadow of a symptom this programme there is liberal expendi-Samuel Finch Drakeford of Melbourne of such a disease attacking the Middle ture, and taking everything into MARGUERITA ELISA CHAMBAZ, daughter of Kingdom-in fact each new writer adds consideration, it is not to be wondered to the accumulation of testimony to the at that France fancies the outlay end that China's awakening is not threatens her. So acute is this feeling fraught with peril to other nations; that, as a telegram elsewhere shows, M. Bard dismisses the Yellow Peril "M. Lockroy was cheered when he bogey rather contemptuously. He says declared that the French naval programthat, before China can become a menace me was inadequate, and pointed out the she must change her entire nature. importance of the Naxy in the event of they will, on the 21st inst., submit a Her history shows that for centuries the national character has developed on systematic lines and there is absolutely no 11.30 a.m. - Meeting of Geo. Fenwick & ground for supposing that it will a Co., Ld. at Hongkong Hotel. commence to make a violent departure. British two power standard going to Some years ago scientists used to af- land us in for? It would be extremely fright us by suggesting that the globe humorous if we had to build so many would be flicked, into nothingness ships that we could not handle them. through coming into contact with ture, &c., at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's the tail of a wandering comet. would be safe to assume that the comet catastrophe and the Chinese human glacier will occur about the same date. And this reasoning is in no wise

impaired by the sporadic outbreaks of anti-foreign feeling, They constitute a Y3,318,115. The Bank is opening bran-

thing entirely apart and, perhaps support our contention as-if they indicate anything -they show that

The chit-system is one of the worst baits of His Satanic Majesty that lie strewn about the East. It is bad for the monkeys. sellers; bad for the buyers. "Olo Custom" and cumbersome coinage are the 11 a.m.—Meeting of The China & Manila we get gold coins and less weildy subscription: Judgment was delivered for Steamship Co., Ld., at the Co.'s Office. dollars, and have courage to hit "Olo the plaintiff, with costs. Manufacturing Co., Ld., at Co.'s Office.

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Custom " a staggering blow on the A Chinese school-boy was convicted, at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's Sales Rooms. mer Dress Goods, &c., at Messrs manacled with chits. Down in Sclanger the Club has suffered unto unbearableness, and at a recent meeting it was decided to break the bonds of usage and endeavour to procure cash instead of illegibly pencilled pieces of paper for the cocktails and sundries provided at the bar for thirsty inhabitants. Rules were substituted to the effect that "The Club shall be conducted on a cash basis. Books of chits (value \$1, \$2, \$5 and Those publicists who attained a con- \$10 respectively) shall be on sale at the widence is brought forward to confound must be paid within seven days. Failing such payment the Secretary will at once of his opportunities to learn something a trial. What Selanger suffers probably

notify the defaulting member privately that he is liable to be refused all the privileges of the Club until payment has been made. On the 25th of each month-- " The proposal met with much opposition, but it was ultimately decided to give the cash coupon system is Selangor Club and Selangor Club men will benefit by the change. It is a great

pity that the East could not rise in arms and squelch the system entirely. with less haste than what might seem advisable by those fiery individuals who imagine we may at any moment be involved in some international martial turmoil, but there is assurance in the Kehruary 1, and won by 46 points to 13. fact that we are to adhere to the "two of the New Zealand team. . power standard" even if as our cable states to-day—we are to build but three instead of four cruisers this year. the national Whilst the British Navy stands on that rather than basis there is no need for alarm, but it

for the addition of five large cruisers to the foreign fleet, and for the construction of two (18,000 ton battleships and a 15,000 ton cruiser, in addition to the first instalment for the construction of two torpedo divisions, and two and a goes ahead with naval construction Milner in sanctioning the illegal flog-France will be driven to a like courseand then what is adherence to the

LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

The Japan Red Cross Society has received from the American kindred Society the sum of Y40,100 collected by the "Christian Herald.

The not profit of the Yokohama Specie Bank for the latter half of 1905 was ches at Osaka, Dalny, and Mukden:

At Spampani's circus tomorrow evening a football match on bicycles will take the sentiment of exclusion, not ex- place between teams representing England and Australia. pansion, that animates the Chinese mind.

The Cape to Cairo overland telegrap. has been completely repaired. In son places the copper wires have been replaced by steel rods, to baffle the mischievous

James Lochead, of Quarry Bay, was sued at the Supreme Court this morning obstacles in the road of reform, and until for \$57.80, due to the CHINA MAIL for

> stolen a bangle valued at 83. He was shown to have taken it from a child's arm while the latter was in the street, and pawned it shortly afterwards. Mr.F. A. Hazeland imposed a penalty of three weeks' War, flogging of military offenders is: gaol with six hours' stocks, recommending the defendant for banishment.

When the P. and O. mail 'steamer "Oceana" came in at about 7 o'clock last ovening, it was reported that a case of small-pox had occurred on board amongst the lascar crew. This caused a little delay in landing the passengers but by 10 o'clock they were nearly all-ashore and the vessel subsequently proceeded to her usual berth at the Kowloon wharves.

Earthquake in Japan. The earthquake in Japan of the 24th ult. was not a very severe one, though some chimneys were destroyed, and some brick houses damaged in Yokohama. - But a canard that the Meteorological Observatory predicted that a very severe shock would occur between 3 and 4 p.m. caused a terrible scare in Tokyo, and broke up the Charity Concert at which Prince Arthur

The Manchurian Negotiations.

With or without the consent of China, Russia has decided to build a railway between Tsitsihar (in N. W. Manchuria) and Aigun (on the Amur), and is now making the preliminary surveys. As the result of the consultation between H. E. Tang Shao-yi and Viceroy Yuan Shih-kai, it has been decided to instruct Taotai Chou, who has made a secret agreement with Russia, to attend the present negotiations. In the Diplomatic circle this is regarded as a symptom that China is about to yield to Russia's proposals.

Band at Hongkong Hotel. By kind permission of Lt.-Col. A. G. Fitton, D. S. O. and Officers, the Band of the Second Battalion "The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment) will play the It is a coincidence that, just at this following programme of music, during

> Valse ... Rosen Ausdem Suden Serenade La Paloma Yradier Mazurka La CzarineGanne Selection from ... La Poupes Audran GOD SAVE THE KING.

New Zealand Footballers.

The New Zealand team of footballers. who recently completed a tour of Great Miramor, in the palace of San Schastian, Britain, and are returning by way of the in the presence of the Royal family of United States, played an exhibition match against a scratch team at New York on

BABY and grandfather can take Steams' Wine of Cod Liver Oil, because it is delicious and is made for people with weak stomachs. Makes new blood and builds up the system.

WHOOPING COUGH.

predatory. The truth is that the in- Germany and France become lavish in THE quick relief afforded by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in cases of whooping cough, makes it a favorite with the mothers of small children. This remedy stinct of "expansion," to use our delicate their expenditure, as there seems every suplication, is so ingrained in the possibility of their doing, well, Britain liquities the tough mucus, making it e sier Western nations that we are unable to will liave to open her pockets for a greater nstinct has never been indicated by the Germany the Reichstag has provided keepers.

RADICAL UNREASON-

Attack on Lord Milner.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuber',

via Bombay.) LONDON, March 8.

The extreme Radicals in the House of Commons have given notice that a war with Germany." This is feverish motion to the House expressing talk with a vengeance, and if Germany disapproval of the conduct of Lord

> ging of Chinese in the Transvaal. ... The motion is one of an unprecedented character, and the attitude the Government is likely to take withregard to the matter is the subject of much speculation.

BRITISH NAVY.

ONLY THREE CRUISERS THIS YEAR.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuler. via Bombay).

LONDON, March 8.

Speaking on the Naval Estimates in the House of Commons, Mr Edmund Robertson, Secretary to the Admiralty. stated that only three cruisers would be laid down this year instead of four

as proposed in last year's programme.

FLOGGING IN THE ARMY.

TO BE ABOLISHED.

(Exclusive Service, Supplied by Reuter.

via Bombay). London, March 8.

In the Army programme outlined by Mr Haldane, Secretary of State for to be henceforth totally abolished.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.]

H. M. S. "DONEGAL."

LONDON, March 77 H. M. S. "Donegal" is returning to

THE GER AN NAVY.

LONDON, March 7. The Budget Committee of the Reichstag ins approved of an addition of five large cruisers to the fleet employed abroad and to the construction of two 18,000 ton

attle-ships and a 15:000 tons cruiser. Increasing the Strength.

LONDON, March 7. The Budget Committee on the Reichstag has passed the first instalment for the construction of two torpedo divisions, and two and a half millions of marks for sub-

THE FRENCH NAVY. Programme Inadequate.

LONDON, March 7. It the French Chamber, during a discussion on the naval estimates, M. Lockroy was cheered for a speech, in which he declared that the naval programme was: inadequate, and pointed out the importance of the navy in the event of a war with

THE UNITED STATES AND

CHINA.

Germany. -

LONDON, March 7. In the Washington Senate, Mr Halo: opposed the concentration of troops in theSousa Philippines, which he described as equivalent to a declaration of war against China.

> THE ROYAL MARRIAGE. Princess Ena and Catholicism.

London, March 7. The conversion of Princess Ena was olemnized yesterday, at the chapel Spain, the premier, and the Bishop of Nottingham; the Right Rov. Brindle. received the abjuration. Queen Christins stood as godmother and Prince Ferdinand s godfather. King Edward was not pre-

THE MOROCCO CONFERENCE.

Independent Moors.

London, March 7. News from Tangier states that the Moorish officials say they are milligrent to the conclusions that may be arrived at by o expectorate, keeps the cough loose and the Algories conference, as they do not realise that the possession of such an sum than the cost of three cruisers. In counteracts any tendency toward pneu- intend to accept any clauses of which they

ABLENESS. AN UNPRECEDENTED MOTION.

BAD MORTAR.

Two Contractors Fined. The mortar question was again before Mr F. A. Hazeland, at the Magistracy, this morning. Building Inspector W. T. Edwards prosecuted a contractor named Hop Lee for using had mortar in connection

Glenesly Road. Defendant pleaded guilty, and Inspector Edwards stated that a sample was taken and tested in the usual way. The briquettes broke under a strain of 31 lbs each. The authorities had not fixed a minimum but

In the second case Building Inspector W. Dobbs prosecuted Chinese contractor | the authorities for the appeal the Chief Heung Shing for a similar offence in connection with the construction of a house at Humphrey's Avenue, Kowloon. The Inspector stated that in this case the briquettes only stood a strain of a halfpound, after being made 14 and 24 days. The mortar was decidedly bad. A fine of \$250 was imposed.

CONNAUGHT HOUSE HOTEL. Bankrupt's Examination.

The public examination in the Banksuptey action re Chan Hing Lun, alias Chan Lut Wan, Li Chueng Ng and Ho So Ming, lately carrying on business at the Connaught House, Hotel was commenced this afternoon.

Chan Hing Lun, a partner, stated that the total capital was \$75 0 when they opened on November, 1904. They paid \$ 00) for the business and took over the visions and servants. He did not draw that as such books do not show any credit was general that China was waking up. existing lease and furniture. Witness anything out of the business, but \$25 | was given to Messrs E. Piry and Company's monthly was allowed to him as wages, but liquidator when they took the Bill of Lai Cheong Ng acted as compradore, made Exchange and the promissory note that out bills and received payment from they cannot be held to be helders in due boarders. As rent they paid \$1650 per course. We thought it right to mention The business paid for the first two months, but between August and Septemher they found the Hotel was not paying, owing to lack of boarders. Some of their bearders had not paid their accounts, over ing through the books. The only question

82000 being due. Mr Wakeman-Did Lai Chueng Ng receive any money and not account for

Mr Wakeman-Was there disagreement between the on that account ?-I don't know, The examination was adjourned.

KILLED BY A PROPELLER. An Indian's Death.

An inquiry was held at the Magistracy this afternoon, by Mr F. A. Hazeland and a jury, concerning the death of an Indian watchman named Luibo. Evidence was given by Captain Maxfield, of the river steamer " Hongkong," to the effect that the defendant was employed on board. The steamer was at Kongmoon on February 21. Previous to this the engineer had reported that the port side propeller had become entangled and could go shead but not astern. After the cargo had been dis charged at about 11,50 p.m., he went to the bridge and rang "stand by" on the telegraph. Shortly afterwards the engineer came up and reported that a man was hurt. He went below and found the deceased had been badly hart while trying to clear the propeller. That was the first be had heard about the Indian watchman going overboard to clear the propeller. Witness had ordered a Chinese diver but the boatswain did not report that he had failed to secure one or that the deceased had volunteered to go overboard and clear the

propeller. Further evidence showed that the deceased had already dived two or three times and had gone down again when the propeller suddenly commenced to revolve. The deceased then came to the surface and was found to be badly injured. He was taken on board and subsequently. attended by two doctors from H. M. S. "Robin" but died at 4 o'clock next afternoon. It was customary in all ships to give the engines a turn or two when "stand by" was rung in order to see that everything was working alright.

A verdict of death from misadventure was returned.

CHINA AND FOREIGNERS. Procautionary Measures.

The Throne has dispatched instructions to the Fukien Viceroy and the Governors provinces settled at once. It has also

The Throne has also instructed all the Francisco. hereafter. Chinese Ministers to inform the Governments to which they are accredited that there is no anti-foreign movement in China

unfounded rumours. The Foreign Ministers, at Peking have consented to the proposal of the Waiwupo to have the foreign shops in the capital removed from their present site to the back of the Tsungwen gate, in order that they may be better protected by the gendarmerie of the Constabulary Board.

TORTH MORE THAN IT TOST. YV Medicine is cheap when it does no matter what it costs. Stearns Wine of Cod Liver Oil doesn't cost much and helps everyone that takes it. Stops that coughing.

RHEUMATISM CAN BE CURED. THERE is no disease which inflicts more torture than rheumstiem and there is gested. To say that it can be cured to For sale by all chemists and storekespers.

A LAND APPEAL CASE. Question of Waste Lands.

In the Original Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court this morning, before His Lordship the Chief Justice (Sir Francis Piggott) the Attorney General (Sir Henry Berkeley) applied for leave to appeal against the decision of the Lund Court in the with the construction of seven houses in | matter of the claim of To King to land in the New Territories, known as Claim S. survey district No. 2.

The decision of the Land Court in respect in this part of the world. to this claim was that, among other things, To King was entitled to a title for certain . appealed.

After Sir Henry Berkeley had dealt with Justice gave the necessary leave. The date of hearing the appeal will be fixed later on.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA CASE.

Evidence Criticised.

At the Supreme Court this morning, before His Lordship the Chief Justice (Sir Francis Piggott) and His Honour the Puisne Judge (Mr A. G. Wine) the adjourned action, the National Bank of China v. Messrs P. Lemaire and Company, was

The Chief Justice said-We think it must have been apparent to both parties that the Court takes a strong view with regard to the evidence derived from the books of the Bank. Subject, of course, to anything Mr Sharp might have to say we are strongly of opinion that the case cannot be carried further on the books and this at once because we considered the matter yesterday and both sides will be saved enormous trouble and costs in huntis what Mr Sharp will have to say.

Mr Sharp-I should like to consider your Lordship's remarks. I quite appre- night the Rev. T. W. Pearce delivered hend your Lordship's observations and am lecture on "Western Community Life in much obliged for the intimation. I think we shall be unable to meet it on Mr Playfair's personal evidence as his knowledge of the books is not large.

BIG JEWEL ROBBERY IN SHANGHAI.

Clever Work by the Police.

An astonishing jewel robbery, the details which have been kept a close secret, took place in January last. A jewel case containing a draft for \$12,000 (gold) and diamonds valued at \$8,000 (Mexican) disappeared from a room in the Astor The police were notified, and Detective-Inspector McDowell was assigned to the case.

It appears that Mrs J. Gertedz, the wife of a wealthy Russian engineer, was a guest at the Astor House for some days in January last, preparing for a trip to She made but few friends during her stay in the Settlements, but one was a who was received several times in Room 40, Mrs Gertedz's room. This friend was obliging enough to assist the Russian lady in purchasing such articles as were necessary for the voyage. In a burst of confidence Mrs. Gertedz disclosed to he friend the fact that the jewel case, which she invariably carried in her shopping bag, contained a Hongkong and Shanghai Bank draft on San Francisco for \$12,000 (gold), also some \$4,000 worth of jewels. On the 31st of January the friend called as usus. at Room 40. In the evening Mrs. Gertedz occasion to use a portion of her jewel-Upon opening the bag she was surprised to find that the jewel case and its

contents had disappeared. Inspector McDowell at once suspected the lady friend, but Mrs. Gertedz repudistod the idea; and his investigations failed to bring to light the slightest evidence to connect the friend with the disappearance of the jewel case. The local pawnshops were searched, a description of the jewels was telegraphed to all adjacent cities, and several suspects were carefully shadowed, all without result. Mrs. Gertedz was very of Honan, Kiangsi, and Anhui to have the anxious to proceed to America, and when no missionary cases pending in their respective trace of her missing property had been found by the 10th of February, ten days after the Christian disturbances in their provinces theft, she gave up all hope of recovering it and sailed on the Anterican mail for San

Some days passed when a ricksha coolie brought to the Police Station the missing and to request that no credence be given to draft, which he had picked up in the street. The draft was returned to the Bank and eventually forwarded to Mrs Gerdetz at San Francisco.

Last Friday, March 2, it was reported that foreigner had offered a quantity of jewels for sale and, following up this clue, Inspector McDowell effected the arrest on March 5 of an Australian named Handley: \$1,000 in cash and a part of the missing jewellery were found under the pillow of Handley's led to the arrest American named Morris Wart of Mrs Childress, formorly the Jessfield Inn and now living at 20, North Socchow Road. In consideration of

probably no disease for which such a varied the fact that Mrs Childress has three little and useless lot of remedies have been sug- children she was allowed to remain in oustody in her own house until provision Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which enjoys an | could be made for the children. A careful extensive sale in this country, has met with search of the house revealed no trace of success in the treatment of this disease the missing jewel case or other stolen. wherever it has been tried. One or two articles. Last night two detectives left for the pain and hundreds of sufferers from this Ningpo armed with a warrant for the arrest the pain and numerous or suspensed by itsuse. of Mrs Childress's husband, who is supposed the system to a healthy condition. Sold by to have disposed of some of the property.

RETURN OF BISHOP HOARE. England and Missionary Enterprise.

His Lordship Bishop Heare, the Bishop of Victoria, returned to the Colony last evening by the P. and O. mail steamer "Oceania" after twelve months' leave mind for it by suggesting to him historical spoke on the Chinese question at Home possessiae. Abraham possessed more of it

China Mail this morning his Lordship said of all Biblical characters Job comes the that he had had a very pleasant trip and nearest to Lao-tez's ideal, but neither stand a 20 lbs test. Defendant was fined of the judgment that the Attorney General felt greatly benefited by it. Referring to Elijah nor Elisha was up to the mark. The the missionary question and the recent character of Jesus Christ seems to conform massacres Bishop Hoare said that he was at Home when the news of the Lienchau massacre was received and was naturally and a gentleness to which the Chinese sage greatly distressed to hear it. To people in | was a stranger; but Lao-tez could scarcely England, however, China was so far away have approved a doctrine which taught

> and no decent newspaper was now found ments of the Eastern philosopher, writing against missionary efforts out here. Another thing that prevented the Lienchau massacre attracting more than passing attention at Home was the fact that the missionaries who suffered were Americans,

time there was a great deal of ignorance

WESTERN COMMUNITIES IN CHINA.

Lecture at the Union Church.

the chair. Mr Pearce began by reminding his

Cromwell, who, when about to sit for his no tao, but Lee the Nineteenth has tao. portrait, cautioned the painter against leaving out "scars and wrinkles." "Point view Gladstone was a higher-minded man In this story the lecturer found a suggestive plausible elasticity are less taoistic than the me as I am," was the Protector's mandate. hint for his guidance in dealing with the laisser-faire, reposefulaces and cynicism of subject chosen for his discourse. East and his rival. Huxley possessed little too nor West meant comparatively little as geogra. does Mr Herbert Sponcer approach the phical terms. Hongkong had not become the marvel of present day colonial expansion simply because it came into the possession of a Western country and was transformed from a barren rock without inhabitants. without history, and without value, by the enterprise of Western men. For all seriously instructive purposes East and West were great terms which stood for heredity and for variety or monotony of social develop-The Western man's development had been under influences derived from Jew, Greek and Roman, from Dane, Pict and Saxon, Gaul, Goth, and Norman. His real ancestor was a fair-haired, "blue-eyed" savage, a big-boned fighter, destined to possess the earth. The Eastern man' development ad been subject to monotony that had cramped and restricted his nature, as the small shoe cramped the foot of Chinese girls. The problems that arose from the impact of the West in the East had their origin in the difference social development; a fact which had to b borne in mind in forming judgments

Western community life in the East. In dealing historically with the rise and progress of Western communities in China Mr Pearce related many amusing facts and incidents of the old days in Canton, showing that the condition of things which then attained was bound to become, as it did, intolerable to Western men, who brought with them the spirit and genius of their heredity and development: From the breakup in Canton Western community life, as we now know it, began to emerge. On the coast of China there is a chain of Western communities, the mombers which enjoy a freedom which contrasts vividly with the restricted and limited life of the foreign merchants in the old days o monopoly. The characteristic features of several foreign settlements in China were pointed out-all object lessons in Western civilization, and factors in the solution the problem of bringing the West and East into closer touch for the mutual henefit o both. Out of the Western communities in China arose questions as to the relative permanence of civilization, the degree which civilizations might be morged and other important results of contact.

We might affirm, however, that the fittest would survive. Nothing good worthy was permitted to die out. It was the Eternal Law that " first in beauty (i.e. moral beauty) must be first in might. The privilege and responsibility of those who formed the Western communities was to live worthily and in relation to the East to show that Western civilization and cultury were fit objects to desire by seeking to be exponents of all that was best in that civilization and culture.

A vote of thanks to the lecturer concluded

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THE TAOIST TEACHING

(BY PROFESSOR E. H. PARKER.)

Before attempting to define what Lac-

taz's brain was continually revolving I will

endeavour to prepare the Western readers'

which was spent in England. As will be characters known to him who either did or remembered from our cables his Lordship did not according to my own poor lights, and created considerable interest in doings than either Isaac or Jacob. Moses would hardly qualify, while Joseph seems to have When seen by a representative of the possessed a very fair share of it. Perhaps with almost all of Lao-taz's requirements, and moreover to have included a courtesy and the knowledge of doings out here so happiness and salvation in another life as imperfect that the news did not create a a personal reward for celf-restraint in this. Plato, Socrates and Soneca; but Socrates' thing gots of course opinion opini great deal of interest except, of course, Bhuddha was decidedly well-equipped with amongst the societies doing work in this tao. European critics compare Lao-tez with With regard to mission work in China ideas of morality and pleasure, as Seneca's he thought that people now realised notions of laying by stores of wealth, would that a great good was being accomplished scarcely have satisfied the stern requirecalm and resigned temperament of Marcus Aurelius approaches very closely to that which recommended itself to Lao-taz's contemplation : indeed the philosophical reflections of this singularly serene Emperor might and consequently unknown. It did not well have come from the mouth of one who touch Home people or any Home society, sought his supreme inspiration in tao. and they only heard of it vaguely as some- Julian the Apostate possessed much more thing occurring in a very far off part of the of it than Constantine the Great. Mahomet was in almost every respect a tacless man. In some quarters he found a great deal Dante cannot lay claim to its possession of interest centred in China, and the idea nor can Rabelais; and the more we advance towards modernity the fewer men do we People were anxiously speculating as to find of a kind to qualify. The whole theory what was going to happen. At the same of modern life, with its luxury, rivalry, conventionality, energy, restlessness, and displayed as to China, and things Chinese. inconsistency, is in glaring opposition to what Lao-tsz admired and recommended. Lord Bacon's meannesses did not by any means deprive him of, considerable clairs to tao. Even Charles V drifted towards the mysterious goal when he grew tired of empire and retired into At the Union Church Literary Club last a monastery. There was not one atom of a tuo in Napoleon's composition; almost as little in that of Bismarck. The Emperor the East." The Rev. H. R. Wells was in Frederick had many fold more too than his father or his son, notwithstanding that the latter recently evolved a "revelationary" hearers of a historic story related of Oliver too of his own. Pope Pius the Ninth Lad Though from most Englishmen's point of than Disraeli, yet his self-consciousness and definable repose, perfect patience and unaffected humility of Darwin's character marks him out as one of the most perfect specimens of two it is possible to conceive of in a Western mind. To a certain extent Count Tolstoy may lay claim to a high degree of tooistic merit; but the ruggedness of his earlier career and his struggle with passion have rather made him "attain to," than possess by

nature that which Darwin had naturally

combine to suggest the best expression

Lao-taz seems to have thought out

it, even in an infetior man's mind.

the best of his ability a standard by which men might regulate their actions in then, was totally ignorant of even the same too. It is not only by faith in too, by priest Wang was at dinner when the attack imitation of the immutable laws of nature. elements of natural science, it seems rather too much to expect from him dearness inmetaphysics, when he had but the elenderest grasp of the physics upon which he founded to mankind lie rather in the few intelligible he drifts naturally into the position of ruler their worst. his metaphysical speculations. His services words by which he has touched their conaciences and their sympathies, than in the cloudy abstractions by which he has ondeavoured to express what was only vaguely shaping itself in his own mind. Since he hought out his own system 2509 years have elapsed; science has laid bare many of Nature's secrets, and all religions have had a fair trial; yet the ruler of the most "thinking" pation in the world, starting with Khammurabi, cannot suggest to us a higher " revealed" tao than that embodied in William the First: Everyone at all susceptible to the charms of music ecognise and remember the "grand sensation of possibilities" which swells out the continues to tickle the ears and stimulate recent development of "revelations," and the mind, but disappears in favour of picture to curselves how 2000 years hence going on when Mr Kingham was warned lobster and porter the instant the hungry the saying of a mythical | Emperor to fice. He came outside and was imbody which carries the noble soul might be discussed and argued by mediately attacked. His wife came running emerges into the street. Everyone without exception will recollect the "magnificent solutions" which present themselves to the mind during a restless sleep; but (as Prince Bismarck once plaintively remarked) "nothing of value was ever deducted from these great thoughts in the waking lours." If Lao tez had had the faintest glimmering of gravity, attraction, the apherical forms of colestial bodies, oxygan, carbon, electricity, and so on, he would undoubtedly have managed to give us a more intelligible metaphysic. The German temperament seems to be specially interested in his profound speculation; Von Edisons, Rontgens and Marconis. Mean-Strauss solemnly discusses what Lao-taz while at least eighty per cent, of mankind means by his Female Principles and Guid-

ing Law; but, in view of the atter

tion one slight specimen of local man 25.0

year, ago, do they not exaggerate the

intrinsic importance of the "Great

Thinker "? Of what consequence was it, is

it, or can it ever be, how tremendously a

man thinks unless ho can think out some-

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Nature or suggests a rule we can all under- all chemists andkeepers store.

insignificance of secular man, not to me

perve shaking events that were going on in the active world around him. During his leisure hours, which must have been many, he contemplated the regular movements of the stars and planets, the natural progress of growth, healing and decay; the alternately bright and gloomy succession of seasons; men were enjoying themselves whilst he was left moping alone; that common folk actly what they wanted, whilst he himself alone with his Mother Tao" was all awry as beauty of language and clearness of thought goes old Job on his dunghill seems far and away a better, if a less pretentious, philosopher than Lw-tez amongst his books.

| stand 7 Lao-tez, sitting amongst his rude

plank books, pored over the reports of the

The essence of Lao-t-z's philosophy seems Whatever your position in life keep a large, and the demand was for these men told," says the N.O. Daily New, " and it calm and placed mind. Do not make work, or a large sum of money; and six Catholics, remains now to get the official report from and make the organic machine move his superiors; he dared not take so mob with troops, but the mistake was that smoothly as before. Do not exaggera's much upon himself alone. He was press. no serious attempt seems to have been your own importance. You are a mere ed to sign an agreement; he refused, made by the Governor to parauade the carcise whoever you are. If you feel that saying : you have the makings of a man in you, do not brag of it or make a fuss, case would be easily settled. It seems but do your best so that overyone and Chiang tried to get away, but was detained been dispersed at once, as well as the everything with whom and which you in the guest hall, where it appears, a knife gatherings at the various missions. It is are brought into contact may derive orderly benefit from your manhood. Strive to regulate your acts according to the example weapon in the hands, the magistrate surgeon to hold an autopsy on the magisof the manifestly reasonable and harmonious thinks, of a coarse person, not the pricat workings of Nature around you. Rain, sunshine, wind, light, -those all counterbalance and compensate each other. Each cozed out of the sperture. He fell, and Mr Werner may be trusted to bring to light does good and each may do harm unless was left lying there. His attendants had all that can be now discovered. The tale balance be adjusted when occasion calls all been compelled to remain outside, as of the treatment of all those innocent for it and admits of it. Do not be afraid Priest Wang hurried immediately to the as these tales unfortunately always are. of dying; and then death which must come Governor's yamen, and tried to bring a There is one bright spot in the blackness,

will be deprived of its horrors. If you feel charge against the magistrate of suicide superior to other men act up to it but do with intent to involve the Uatholic Mission. not by vulgar self-consciousness show that you are aware of and do not take pleasure in asserting your superiority. Do not be too Being unable to speak, he made signs, and eager to sit in judgment on other men; wars and execution may be necessary but there are always persons whose special and naming Wang as the guilty party. His proclivities or circumstances qualify them family, the prefect, and others soon arrived. better than you to knock out other men's and there was a notable scene. The brains or cut off their heads. If you are a Governor dispatched two hundred troops ruler, do not worry the people with prevent the escape of anyone. Before innumerable regulations. Leave the people long the Provincial Judge arrived, and alone to consult their own inclina- Wang and the magistrate were confronted, tions. Benevolence is rather an offensive the migistrate pointing to Wang as the virtue than otherwise, for the mere the wounded man was carried to his yamen. idea denotes inferiority and misery of one To have engaged a foreign doctor would man, and the condescending patronage of have impaired his dignity, but he lingered another. I cannot give you a cast-iron rule on in a moribund condition.

On Friday, the city was in a tumult. for all hypothetical nets of circumstances. In fact, on Thursday at midnight every If my Tao, or "road," could be indicated precaution was taken, and the dozen with absolute precision of direction it would chapels, etc., in the city were guarded till be an artificial road, along which people apparent that the populace grew wild.

were forced to go; whereas I wish to Efforts were made to induce the priest to express a natural and universal road which give himself up, but they were when once appreciated in principle, carries

you along under all oircumstances. cannot name all possible conditions; if 1 tried to do so then universality would cease, and by the mere act of naming I should exclude other possibilities. It is better to know as much as possible and to feel that you do not know enough, than to know insufficiently and yet to think you know all that can be known. Do not aim at possession; the more possessions, the more cares; born in him. There must be something noble in tao when Job, Bhudda, Jesus indulge, the more you are a slave to want. Christ, Pops Loo and Charles Darwin Knowledge is never final. Nothing is final. My too preceded any existence of which we can form a conception; and it

helped concrets existence to begin as also Ta! Ta! to continue. Any apparent end to anything is and must be in accordance with the

What is the use of being deliberately formal and ceremonious when we are all visible to the people equal? If one man is superior to another thousands ority nor does he glory in it : nor is a ruler superior to the ruled because he is a ruler. Knowledge is apt to be mischievous, so far a valiant fight, but he was overpowe as it consists of ornamental acquirements. The people should not be educated, but simply guided along the tao by those who know the tao, and have the handling of tao. I might go on, ad infinitum, and of course each of these laconic exhertations in the into a pond in the way of comment. Out of vague and some time, but no indefinite thinking food can be extracted for acons of discussion and argument. Not to go back 2500 years to a few speculative texts put together by a primitive recluse, let us simply take the Emperor William's future cavants, after the re-discovery to him, and was struck down too. An of his Imperial consure on the "dragon" Delitszch. Did the Emperor write it himself, or was it prompted? Are these the ideas of twentieth century blows and wife rushed for civilisation or only German ideas. In Into a pond in the garden. They were what way does William the First suggest dragged from this and again beaton. and so on. So it is with Taoism. To the to take them away, but the mob bucy active world it is really of minimun importance what the greatest thinker thinks, unless he can in some way further were no use against the mob. Some men our tangible relations with Nature. It is broke into the house at the back, and Mrs. not the Tan-tsz, the Hegels and the Kants who grease the wheels of our mysterious human machine, but the Newtons, Harveys,

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CHINESE VENGEANCE AT NANCHANG. ANOTHER GRAPHIC ACCOUNT.

The N.-C. Daily News has received a land Mission people, and they were all detailed account of the Nanchang tragedy brought away at midnight. Miss Warr, of from an American missionary, who was a the Brethren Mission, but not in the same the delightful effects of truth, kindness, and close observer on the spot throughout the house as the Kinghams, had a narrow sympathy; the hateful aspect of je lousy, whole period from the 22nd to the 26th of by the soldiers of the regular army envy, cruelty, and greed. He himself tells February and after. As was to be to their camp. The Methodist Episcopal us he was ignored and neglected: that other expected, there are differences between missionaries, being farthest removed, early this account and that supplied the on the watch, got away easily. They were same paper by Mr Spencer Lewis. The kindly cared for at the Provincial Mint, writer, begins by saying that he has until boats were provided. The Governor seemed somehow to have their heads had considerable difficulty in ascertaining prepared a steam launch, and early screwed on the right way, and to know ext the facts, and did not sand his account on Monday morning, of the Roman earlier because he was not satisfied with his Untholics 5 women and 3 men; of information, but he now thinks that he the China Inland Mission 2 men, 2 has arrived at the truth as well as it can be women, and 3 children; of the Brethren and doubtful what he would be at. So far known, death having temored some of those Mission I woman, the Kingham haby, and

> chang Magistrate to supper on Thursday, Dr Charles with his wife and two children the 22 id of February, to discuss the Sin- took a native boat early in the day chang troubles of last year, which the and made Wucheng, on the way to Magistrate, Chiang, took a prominent part Kinkiang, the next morning." in adjusting. Several culprits were still at said that if he, Chiang.

died, the himself slightly -a horizontal out, not deep. always object to postmortem examinations, Almost immediately he was struck by a they have yet asked the British Consular of shears, inflicting a deep wound and cut- hall of the French mission on the night of ting the cesophagus, so that swallowed food the 22nd ult, is now very doubtful, though "During the priest's absence, the magistrate's underlings came in and found

their superior lying in a pool of blood asking for his brother to come immediately, also that no disturbance should be made,

said, but this was also refused,

in Kiangei were raked up, and the people " On Saturday evening we to receive a slip containing a printed notice calling on the officials, gentry, merchants, and students to meet at 10 a.m. on Sunday to discuss peaceable measures to be taken. On Sunday morning, despite the wind and memory of the Governor who saved the do not indulge the censes; the more you heart of Kiangsi's patriotism. A man assembly shouted : No, we must destroy

originals gives rise to endless possibilities to death. One tall man survived for

"While this horrible business was going city. Not far from the back door of the by Mr and Mrs Kingham (English) with children. Morning service was still moment endeavoured to rescue thom, and succeeded in getting them upstairs. But some friends came in and drove them with blows into the garden, whonce both link in the chain with Khammurabi; Rescue came, and chairs were prepared were taken once more into the house, the doors of which were sealed. But the seals husband into the pond. Mr Kingham had still some life in him, but he expired at about 7 p.m. They had been stripped of all their clothing, and their fate was as bitter as it could be. The placky amah rushed down the street, bearing the youngest child in her arms. Though beaton and wounded several times about the head and face, she got her precious charge away. uninjured. The elder child, a pretty girl was fearfully injured about the head, was still alive when the resouing party got her on board the Governor's launch for

Kiukiang. the has died sinco.

"About this time, the China Inland

Mission, near which the French teachers

were killed, was approached, but friends

explained and interceded successfully, and finally the soldiers of the cavalry regiment charged the cowd and scattered it. The mob then rushed to the huge Catholic premises outside the city. The place was soon set on fire and destroyed. Its inmates, having had sufficient warning, all oscaped. They were hidden away, also the China In-

the wounded girl ; of the Mothodist Epis-"Evidence is to hand to show that copal Mission 2 men, 5 women, and 2 Wang, a French priest, invited the Nan- oblidren; were all escorted to Kiukiang.

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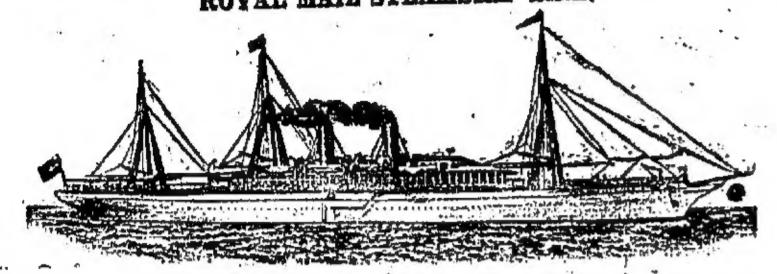
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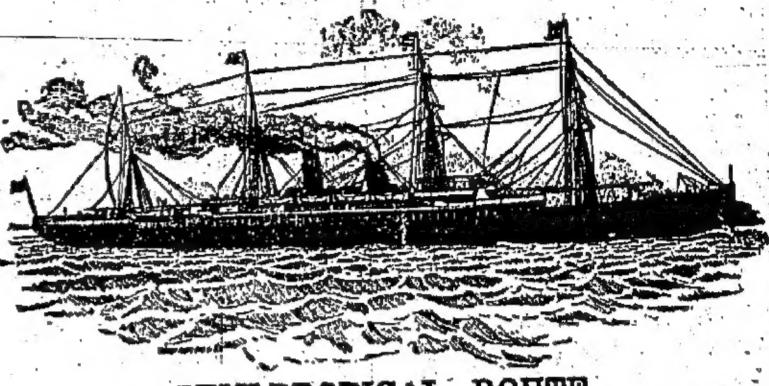
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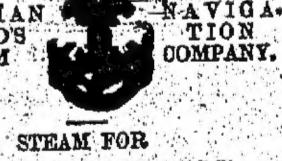
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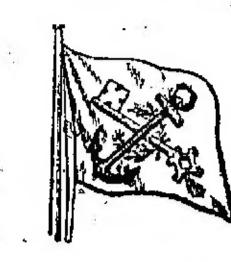
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP ARAGONIA. FROM PORTLAND (OR.); YOKO-HAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consiguees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Ourgo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

signoes' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever, S. SILVERSTONE. Acting General Agent. Hongkong, March 8, 1906.

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALOUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE

THE Steamship Lightning, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigned of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at once at Consigness risk and expense. Cargo remaining on board after 2 r.m., of the 9th inst., 1906, will be landed at Consigness risk and expense into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous E. Goets, Esq. F. Salinger, Esq. Godowns of the Hongkong And Kow-C.R. Lenzmann, Esq. E. Shellim, Esq. Loon Whare and Godown Company, G. H. Medhurst, Hon. Mr.R. Shewan, N. A. Siebe Esq.

Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE and PENANG are requested to take IMMEDIATE delivery of their Goods from alongside; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DAVID SASSOON, & Co. Lo., Hongkong, March 7, 1906.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship baying arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their rick into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Honoxone & Row.

LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY. Lauren, Kowloon, whence delivery may plication be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 11

A M. To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 10th Instant, will be subject to rent. All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods annum. are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on SATURDAY, 10th Inst., 2.30 p.m. All Claims must reach us before the 15th instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MELCHERS & CO., Hongkong, March 4, 19(8,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMER TONKIN.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London

ON S.S. Medoc; from HAVER CX that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks into the hazardous and/or extra hazarat Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will the forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 3 P.M., To-DAY, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned in the Undersigned, and Goods remaining unclaimed after MONDAY, the 12th March, 1906, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 12th March, or they will not be All damaged packages will be examined on MONDAY, the 12th March, at 8 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, March 5, 1906. MERICAN AND ORIENTAL LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE STEAMSHIP AFGHAN PRINCE. FROM NEW YORK.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

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will be examined on the 9th Instant. at 2.30 P.M. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods | CAPITAL PAID-DP 2800,000 remaining undelivered after the 9th Inst. RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREwill be subject to rept. presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 11th Inst., or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO., Hongkong, March 3, 1906.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

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In any case whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consigness and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within tondays of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. E. A. HEWETT.

Superintendent. 490 . Hongkong, March 8, 1906.

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League Cricket.

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Rifle Shooting.

THE UNITED SERVICE ASSOCIATION. The recently formed Chins United Services Rifle Association will hold their first Rifle Meeting on Murch 19 and following days. The events for British competitions will be conte-ted at Stonecutters' Island, while those for the native troops will take place at the Kowloon Rifle Range. interesting programme of events has been arranged, as follows : -- Rifle Championship; for the rich, and make existence doubly Carbine Competition; Nursery Competition; hard for the poor. Affinity Competition ; Officers' Team Com-(for teams); The "Noel" Challenge Cup healthy colour and a good digestion. (for teams); and a Revolver Competition. For several years a worker in the barrel-Full particulars can be obtained from the making industry, Mrs. Annie Milligan, of Hon. Secretary of the Association, Beadquarter Offices, to whom entries should be I was never strong at the best, but as sent not later than March .14.

THE "MACDONALD" CUP. The fifth Competition for the " Macdonald" Cup, which is open to members of I feared I should never be able to work the Right Half, No. 1 Company of the again. But there was a great change when Hongkong Volunteer Corps will take place I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. on Sunday at the Tai Hang tange, com- I had heard them praised, and am glad mencing at 9.30 a.m. The ranges will be that I tried them, for they cured me, and 200, 500 and 600 yards.

A Naval Gymkhana.

programme_:---

down polo ground, through the opposite health. goal and back through the first goal on For the worker and the wealthy Dr Wilstarting line. Winner: First ball home. 2; BICYCLE BENDING RACE, 3.10 p.m. have cured in thousands of cases ansemis,

petitor to be nominated by a lady. 3.-Lemon Race, 330 p.m. - Three lysis, locomotor stary, and the ille that chairs are placed a short distance spart with afflict the weaker sax. Sold by most a lemon ou each. Competitor gallops past dealers; or direct from Dr Williams' Me and picks the ismons up, points being given dicine Co., Holborn-visduct, London, at

for number bloked up and pace. 4,- HAT TRIMMING -3.50 p.m. - Competitor runs with ricksha to lady, who gives him a hat, with materials. After trimming it he puts it on and runs back to the starting post with the lady in ricksha. Points given for artistic design of hat and first couple home. Bats provided by Committee, materials by nominating lady. 5.—Tent Pegging with Swoeds.—4.16

p.m.—Teams of four, from Staff, Navy, Regiments, R.N., B.A., Volunteers and Civilians, form in line and gallop past pege, three runs. Points given for number of pege picked up and pace of team.

6.—ANIMAL RACE.—Haudicap -5 p.m. -Animals to be driven over course. Horses Dogs, Donkeys and Mules barred. Owners neust be behind their snimals, and are only allowed a bit of string and a

7.—UMBBELLA RACE.—5 20 p.m.—Competitor mounts bareback, rides to a post, saddles up and rides to lady, who gives him a cigaratte and then lights. She then opens an umbrella, which she gives him. Competitor mounts and rides home, keeping

cigarette alight and umbrells up. 8.- DRIVING RACE. - 5.45 p.m.-Compatitor in shafts of ricksha, blindfolded, and with string round each arm. Lady

drives him round post and in. 9.-NIGHTGOWN RACE, 6.00 p.m.-Competitor rides to a lady, who has a parcel with a nightgown in it. On his arrival sho undoes parcel and gives him nightgown, which he has to put on as he is riding back to winning post. Points given for style of garment and first man house.

Football.

The following have been chosen to play for the Club versus H.M.S. "Andromeda at Happy Valley, on Saturday. Kick off 4.15 p.m. goal :- Dr F. H. Kew ; backs :-E. Humphreys and G. E. Morrell; Half Backs :- H. C. Gray, F. C. Hall and W. Ironside: forwards: -W. H. Williams. R. Miller, R. Whitamore, A. Morfey and J.

Cricket.

The following will represent the "A Team of the Civil Service Club against Dicelsan School, Past and Present, tomorrow :- H. Coombes, G. Badcock, Hoggarth, W. W. Cooper, D. Gourlay, J. Rewarth, P. R. Adams, W. H. Kelly, Hurlow, E. Dawson, W. H. E. Smith

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E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

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"I have consulted many dectors, who A naval gymkhana has been arranged to diagnosed my case as anæmia and nervous take place on the Polo Ground, on Mon- debility. Medicine seemed to be useless day next, the programme for which is for my case Fainting fits seized me frereplote with amusing items. At the quently; severe headaches prostrated me, conclusion of the gymkhana the prizes will and I could not bear the slightest noice. be presented to the successful competitors Then I to k Dr Williams' Pink Pills, and by Lady Noel. The following is the a gradual change came, over me. I could take exercise without fatigue; headaches 1.- Polo Ball Race, 2.45 p.m.-Com- and dizziness ceased. Now I feel quite petitor hits a polo ball from starting line, strong, and have no anxieties about my

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PROGRAMME: I. Rifle Championship Series.

II. Carbine Competition. III. Nursery Competition.

IV. Affinity Competition. V. Officers Team Competition. VI. The 'HATTON' Challenge Cur (for Teams).

VII. The 'None' Cup (for Teams). VIII. Revolver Competition.

Entries close on 14th Marchi

The Rules of the Association and full particulars can be obtained on application THE HUNORARY SECRETARY, C.U.S.R.A.,

HEAD QUARTER OFFICES, Fletcher Street, Hongkong. Hongkong, March 9, 1966.

THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED. THE THIRD ORDINARY YEARL

MEETING of SHAREHOLDER of the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, ST. GRORGE'S BUILDING, on SATURDAY, the 24th of March, 1906, at 12 o'clock Noon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1905, and the Report of the General Manager and Consulting Committee and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditor The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com pany will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th March, both days inclusive.

J. WHEELEY. General Manager. Hongkong, March 9, 1906.

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Hongkong, March 9, 1906.

VESSELS AT THE DOCKS - At Kordoon arrival here, after which date they cannot U.S.A.T. Seward, Vigilante, Lungshan, Progress, Fatshan, Charles Hardouin. Woolwich, Jenfeld, Brunhilde, Teingtao. U.S.S. Ohio, Halmun, Signal, Holphing. Cosmopolitan. - Reiu. Abericen-Dagny, Borneo.

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Dacia, for Shanghai. Haitan, for Swatew. Hebs, for Singapore. G-rmania, for B ngkok. Elisabeth Rickmers, for Swatow. -Australian, for Moji. Sungkiang, for Amoy. Zafiro, for Amoy. Petrarch, for Saigon.

Hanyang, for Kobe.

Per Dongoliu, from Shanghai : for Hongkong, Capt. and Mrs Schellhouse, chile and smah, Capt. Wakefield, Mr and Mrs Missim, Miss Gubbay, Messrs H. K. Hemans, J. R. Mikkers, H. Rosenthal, N. Romolo, M. Emmaminelle, G. Umberto, 489 N. Eugenia, W. Eason and H. Scoman ; for Singapore, Mr A. Morrison; for Colombo, Mr E. Norbney; for Brindisi, Mr O. TUNG CHEUNG & CO., Chiostri ; for Marseilles, Mr S. Lamb ; for London, Mr and Mrs J. C. Smith, Engr Comdr. Cotton, R.N., Capt. R. Smith Mrs Watson and child, Messrs P. Ailshorn GENTS to TATSUMI SHOKWAI OF and A. O. N. Gosling. From Yokohama for Bombay, Mr H. E. Stanton ; for London, Mr and Mrs E. A. Russell, Mr and and Mrs H. E. Hayward,

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Per Oceana, for Hongkong : from London, Mrs and Miss Bone, Mr and Mrs Ponsonby, Dr and Mrs Fanning, Corpl. Baker, Lieut. Hamley, Miss Parlani, Mr Sandford, Mr Young, Comdr. Colomb, Revs. Stevens and Campell, Mr J. Blair, Mr Geo. Vickers, Mrs Macgregor and maid, Miss Child, Mr and Mrs Rersey, Miss For VLADIVOSTOCK .-Mullins, Lieut, Col. Sanders, Messrs A. M. Lupton, E. Lupton, H. Kremanz, and Saturday, the 10th March.
Mrs. Jameson; from Marseilles, Dr. Mo., For SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE Dougal, Bishop Weldon, Bishop of Victoria Hoare, Mrs and 3 Misses Hoare, Miss Griffin, Major and Mrs Comfort, Messrs Lethbridge, P. Nye, K. Webb, Mr and Mrs Morgan Vanghan, Miss Collit, Mr and Mrs Hodow and maid, Mesers Forster and and Macaulay, Rev. R. Good, Mr. Platin TOGETHER WITH THE MESSUAGE and Mrs Goldsmith and maid; from Port from Bombay, Mr Hassum, Mr Orgill term of 999 years. Area 2592 square feet or thereabouts. Crown rent \$5.75. Leegh, Mrs and Miss Lucena, Rev. Bone, Mrs R. Sandri, Mr Amger, Mr Parsons, Mrs Round Miss Foctias, and Mr Longstaff.

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On London-Documentary, 4 months' sight, ... 2/12 On Paris On demand. Oredita, 4 months' sight. n Berlin-On Demand On New York-On demand. Orodita, 60 days' sight On Bombay-Wize On Calontta-On demand. On Singapore-On demand. On domand, Pesos, On Shanghal-On demand. 80 days' sight, (private p.) Un Yokohama-

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ARRIVALS, AT HOME. . March 8, Palma.

Imperial Gotman Mail s.s. Prinz Waldemar left Sydney on Saturday, the 17th February, at 3 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 10th March, The Imp. German Mail a.s. Prinzess Alice left Kobe, via Nagasaki and Shang-

Batten, Saigon March 1, Rice. - Donwell p.m.; and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 13th March. The Imp. German Mail a.s. Prinz Regent Luitpold carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 13th Feb., left Colombo on Saturday, p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 14th March.

hai, on Sunday, the 4th February, at 4

The P. M. S. S. China left Yokahame on the 5th March, and may be expected to arrive in Hongkong on the 17th March. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of China arrived at Kobe at 1 a.m. on Thursday, the 8th March, and left again at 7 a.m. on same day via Nagasaki for

at 1 a.m. on Sunday, the 11th March. Steamers Expected. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Athenian left Van-'couver on Monday afternoon, the 5th March, for Hongkong, via the usual

Shanghai, where she is due to arrive

Ports of Call. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Tartar left Yokohams on Saturday afternoon, the 3rd March, for Victoria and Vancou-The O. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Teenkai left Singa-

and is due here on the 8th March. The Java-Chira-Japan Lijn str. Tjipanas left Macassar for this port on the 2n March, and may be expected here o or about the 10th March. The P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Nicomedia sails from Portland on the 13th February

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DESTINATION.	Vreszie.	AGENTS.	DATE OF LEAVING.
Amoy, Manila, &c	Yuensang (e)	Jardine, Matheson&Co	Mar. 15, at 4 p.m.
Bremen, v. ports of call	Prinzess Alice (e)	Melchers & Co	Mar. 14, at Noon.
Bremen, v. Ports of call	Bayern (B)	Melchers & Co	
Genoa, Mars., 1 poot.		Sutterfield & Swire Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	
Hamburg	Tiberia (a)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	March 16.
Havre Breman H'burg	Saxonia (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	March 19.
Japan via Shanghal	Tjipanas (s)	Java-China-Japan Lijn	2nd half of March.
Japan via Shanghai	Tjilatjap (8)	Java-China-Japan Lijn	2nd half of March.
Java Ports	Tjiliwopg (s)	Java-China-Japan Liju	lat half of April.
		Jardine, Matheson & O. Norddeutscher Lloyd.	
		Melchera & Co	
L'don, Am'dam, A'orr	Achilles (8)	Butterfield & Swire	March 13.
L'don, Am'dam, A'err	Telemachus (a)	Butterfield & Swire	March 27.
L'don, Am'dam, A'err	Diomed (6)	Butterfield & Swire	April 10.
London, &c	Dongola (8)	P. & O. S. N. Co	Mar. 24, at Noon.
London & Antworp	Reprortish (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co dibb, Livingston & Co	About Mar. 15.
Manila Anglian Port	alPring Waldeman (a)	Melchers & Co	About April 3.
Marseilles via Salgon	Oceanien (s)	Messageries Maritime	Mar. 20, at 1 p.m.
Manila, Aug'lian Port	e Changeha (a)	Butterfield & Swire	March 26.
Mar., L'don, A'erp, &c	Baralong (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaishs	. Mar. 14, Daylight.
	a Nikko Maru (a)		Mar. 16, at 4 p.m.
	Rubl (6)		
Manila	Test (e)	Shewan, Tomes & Co Butterfield & Swire	March 18.
		Jardine, Matheson& C	
Manila, A'lian Ports	Australian (s)	Gibb. Livingston & Co	Mar. 31, at Noon.
Newchwang	Kweiyang (8)	Butterfield & Swire .	March 14.
		Dodwell & Co. Limite	
		Shewan. Tomes & O	
San Properson v. Japa	m Mongolia (a)	Toyo Kisen Kaisha Pacific Mail S.S. Co.	Mar. 17. at Noon.
San F'cisco via Japa	n. China (e)	Pacific Mail 8.8. Co.	Mar. 24. at Noon.
		Toyo Kisen Kaisha	
San Francisco v. Japa	an Doric (s)	O. & O. S.S. Co	April 10, at Noon.
		Nippon Yusen Kaish	
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S'hai Moii Kobe Y'm	a. Poora (a)	ld Melchers & Co P. & O. S. N. Co	About Mar. 20
		D. Sassoon & Co, I	
S'pore, P'ang, Cl'ho &	Persia (8)	Sander, Wieler & C	o April 2, p.m.
Shanghal	Kiukiang (s)	Butterfield & Swire. Butterfield & Swire.	March 10.
Shanghal	Ichang (e)	Butterfield & Swire.	March 14.
Swatow and Bhangi	lai Unoyaang (a)	Jardine, Matheson&	ColMar. 18, Daylight.
		Portland & A. S. C	
		Usaka Shosen Kaish	
		Osaka Shosen Kaish	
S'tow, Amoy & F'ch	ow Haitan (s)	Douglas Lapraik & C	o. Mar. 9, at 11 a.m.
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Victoria, B.U., Tacon	ms Lyra (8)	Dodwell & Co. Limit	
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Vancouver (B.C.). d	co. Empress of India (s	Canadian P'fic R.	Co. March 18.
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The Java-Chira-Japan Lijn str. Tjipanas left Macassar for this port on the 2nd March, and may be expected here on or about the 10th March.	Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Athenian(s)					
The P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Nicomedia sailed from Portland on the 13th February, and should arrive in Hongkong about March 13th.						
The East Asiatic Co.'s s.s. Norge, from Singapore, is due here about 16th-March.						
The N. Y. K. s.s. Nikko Maru (Australian Line), left Kobe, via Moji and Naga-	Blocks.	No. of Shares.	Palus.	Paix	Ciosing Quotations.	
saki for this port, on the 8th March, and is expected to arrive here on the 18th March.	Hongkong and Shanghal Bank Corp. National Bank of Ohina, Limited	80,000 99,925	8 125 E 7	all 2 5	\$860, se ter- London, £90 \$38, bayers	
The IC. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Laisang left Cal- cutta for this port via the Straits on 6th March, and may be expected here	Canton Insurance Office Co., Ed China Traders' Insurance Co., Ed	10,000	\$ 250	8 50	\$345 \$96, buyera	
on or about the 22nd March. The IC. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Kumsang, from Calcutta and The Straits, left Sings.	North-China Insurance Co., Ed	10,000 10,000	£ 250	£ 5	Tis. 921 \$800, sales & sellers	
pore for this port on the 6th March, at noon. The Barber Line s.s. Satsuma sailed from	Yangbare Insurance Association, Ed. FIRE INSURANCES. Ohina Fire Insurance Co., Ed	20,000	\$ 100	20	\$180 \$83, ex div., buyers	
New York for China and Japan on the 26th January	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., hd., DOCES, ETC. H'kong & Whampos Dock Co ht.,	8,000	\$ 250	50 ali	\$300, er div. \$154	
The Boston Tow Bost Co.'s s.s. Lyra sailed from Puget Sound for Hongkong, via usual ports, on the 18th February.	Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limital	18,000	\$ 25	25	\$23, sellers	
The Ben Line steamer Benglos, from Ant- werp and London, left Singapore on the 1st March, for this port.	New Amoy Dock Co., Etd., and S. C. Farnham, Boyd & Co. Ed., and an arrange areas are streamsours, and a succession of the same areas.	55,700	Tls, 100	6 6 Tis 100	Tie. 117	
The Mogul Line s.s. Sikh sailed from Birkenhead for China and Japan on.	China and Manila S. S. Co. Ld { Douglas Steamship Co., Hmited	80,000 20,000			\$20%, sellers	
28th February. Latest Advices.	HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ld. Indo-Chine S. N. Company, Limited	60,000	\$ 15 £ 10	2 15 all	824s, buyers 895, seller	
The s.s. Mer onethshire left Singapore on Sth March, and is due here on or about Thursday, the 15th Merch.	GLANT-market & Trading Do. Intilians	10,000 10,000 2000,000	10		\$32, sales & buyers \$23, sellers	
POST OFFICE NOTICES.	Taku Tug and Highter Co., Ed	8,600 200,000 100,000	Tis. 50	Tls 50 Tls, 50	Tis. 30 { Tis. 60, sallors Tis. 50, seller:	
Mails will close:—	Ohina Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	là ron		\$210, saliers	
For SHANGHAI.— Per Oceana, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 10th March.	Euron Sugar Company Limited Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ed WHARVES.	7,000	23.54		235, sellors Tle. 70	
For VLADIVOSTOCK.— Per Dr. Hans J. Kiner, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 10th March.	HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. Shanghal and Hongkow Wharf Co.	80,000 10,000 20,000	5 50	4	#106, sellers Tls. 225	
For SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU & SAN	Hongkong Land Investment and	Andrews.			\$112, buyers	
FRANCISCO.— Per America Maru, on Saturday, the 10th March.	Agency Company, Limited S'aughai hand Investment Co., Ld. Kowloon Land and Building Com-	62,000 6,000		Tis.50	Tle. 115 837 sellers	
Printed Matter and Samples at 9 a.m. Registration at 9 a.m. (Registration, with late fee of 10 cents,	Wel-hel-wel hand & Building Co., Lit Humphreys Retate & Finance Co	8,784 150,000	Tls. 23	Tla.25	Tis. 12, boyers \$114, sales & sellers	
up to 9.30 a.m.) Registration, Kowloon B.O., 9 a.m. No late fee.	West Point Building Co., Limited TRAMWAYS. HK High-Level Tramways Co., Ld.		100	8 DU	\$53, sellers \$215, bayers	
Supplementary Mail on board up to the time fixed for departure of the mail.	neges de Tonkin.			all .	34 90	
For TSINTAU, CHEFOO & NEW.	Roub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ed., Horgkong Hotel Company, Ltd	1. 1		18/10	\$3} \$135, seller , ex div.	
OHWANG.— Per Hunan at 10 s.m., on Saturday, the 10th Merch.	A tor House Hotel Ltd. (Tientain). Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hat, DESPENSARIES.	2.000	T.Tla.50	Tla.50 \$ 25	Tle. 135	
For MANILA.— Per Loongsang, at 10 s.m., on Saturday, the 10th March.	A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	90,000 10,000	9 10 8 10	3 10 3 10	\$13, sales \$6, saliers	
MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET	IK. and China Gas Uo., Limited Shaughal Gas Company, Ltd	8,000	Tie. 50	ali Tis,50	\$175, biye - Tls. 1224, baye -	
The British Contract Packet Dongola will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 10th March, with Mails for	Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	30,000 30,000	8 10 8 10	10	316} 316, sellers	
the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, via	Grown Island Coment Co., Lis HISCRICANEOUS.	150,000	\$ 10	\$ 10	6 30, buyers	
Brindis; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.	Bella Asbestos Hastern Agency, Ld. United Asbestos Oriental Agency,	405°8 7,0000'8	100		\$7, buyers \$9	
Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m. Registration at 10 a.m.	He Steam Waterboat Co., Ltd.	100 Mer. 15,000	\$ 10 \$ 10	\$ 10	\$160 \$10. sellers	
Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up to 10.45 a.m. Registration, Kowloon B.O., 10 a.m.	Hongkong Dalry Farm Co	5,000	3 25	all	\$16, sale: \$230, bayer: Tis. 420, bayer:	
No late fee. Letters at 11 s.m.	Stanghal Waterworks Co., Ltd., Ld. H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. Hongkong Octon Spinning Co., Ld.	10,000	\$ 50		\$159, bayers \$16), bayers	
Late Letters 11 to 11,30 a.m. Extra Postage 10 cents. (Supplementary Mail on board up to the	Ewo Oothon Splaning and Weave	20,000	Tls. 50	Tla 50	Tis. 62, bayers	
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(Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail.	Sov Ches Cotton Spinning Co., Ed		Tis. 100 Tis. 600		T.s. 250, er div.	
The Parcel mail will closed at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 9th March.		200, 00 60,000		1	\$9, sales & sellers \$10, seller	
CTEARNS' HEADACHE OURE, can	Oampbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	1	a](.	\$36	
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